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FOLLOWING APPEAL RECEIVED FROM ICRC. QUOTE:

GENEVA 5/9/75

REFERENCE PORTUGUESE TIMOR

PRIMO

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS REGIONAL DELEGATE CONTACTED PARTIES IN TIMOR. FIRST OBJECTIVES OF HIS MISSION FULFILLED. MEDICAL TEAMS NOW OPERATING IN DILI AND BAUCAU. OTHER MEDICAL TEAMS ALSO PROVIDED BY AUSTRALIAN RED CROSS AND MEDICAMENTS ON STANDBY IN DARWIN.

SECUNDO

IN ORDER TO SERVICE AS NEUTRAL INTERMEDIARY THE ICRC SENT THREE MORE DELEGATES TO THE ISLAND. ALL OF THEM ARE OPERATIONAL AS OF TODAY. PRISONERS ARE BEING VISITED BY ICRC DELEGATES AND PROVIDED WITH EMERGENCY RELIEF SUPPLIES.

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TERTIO

TO REDUCE TRANSPORT EXPENSES SUPPLIES WILL FIRST BE PURCHASED IN AUSTRALIA THROUGH AUSTRALIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY. TRANSPORT FROM DARWIN TO TIMOR WILL BE BY AIRLIFT (CARIBOU WITH RED CROSS MARKINGS)

QUARTO

AFTER ONE WEEK ACTIVITIES BUDGET FOR NEXT THREE MONTHS HAS BEEN DRAWN UP AS FOLLOWS:

- RELIEF AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES	SW. FCS. 233,500
- MEDICAL AND LOGISTIC PERSONNEL EXPENSES	225,000
- AIRFARES, VEHICLES, STATIONERY, STORES, RADIO EQUIPMENT, INSURANCES AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES	460,000
- ICRC DELEGATES OPERATIONAL EXPENSES	200,000

TOTAL FOR 3 MONTHS 1,118,500

QUINTO

PRECISE NEEDS IN FOOD, SHELTER AND CLOTHING FOR THE POPULATION NOT YET AVAILABLE AND NOT INCLUDED IN BUDGET AS SURVEY IN THE COUNTRY-SIDE STILL UNDER WAY.

SEXTO

FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION IS URGENTLY NEEDED TO PURSUE ASSISTANCE. WOULD BE GRATEFUL FOR TRANSMISSION THIS MESSAGE YOUR GOVERNMENT.

SEPTIMO

CASH CONTRIBUTIONS CAN BE REMITTED TO THE ACCOUNT OF INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS WITH SOCIETE DE BANQUE SUISSE, GENEVA, SWISS FRANCS ACCOUNT NO. 129.986 OR US DOLLARS ACCOUNT NO. 129.986/4 OR STERLING ACCOUNT NO. 183.929/1, SPECIFYING QUOTE TIMOR ACTION UNQUOTE.

HOCKE, DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS. UNQUOTE.ABRAMS

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